

Christine M. Erickson

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Christine M. Erickson, age 66, passed away at home on December 29, 2020 after a courageous health journey. She was born in Muskegon on May 1, 1954 to Gerald and Pauline (Certalic) Springstead. Christine was a member of Port City Church where she volunteered her time with Sunday School and Vacation Bible School. Christine was an elementary teacher at Muskegon Heights prior to her retirement in 2000. She was a giver and was always looking for ways to help others. Christine also served on the board for Beach League football, held bible studies at the Muskegon Co. Jail for women, and belonged to Alcoholics Anonymous for which she was a sponsor to many and served as an officer. Most importantly, Christine loved every moment with her family and supporting her grandchildren while they played one sport after another. On October 12, 1996 she married the love of her life, Jeff Erickson and he survives her along with five children, Joseph (Julie) Straley, Jason (Charity) Straley, Jeffrey Straley, Stephanie (Ken) Richards and Michael (Jamie) Hekker; 12 grandchildren, Caleb (Bailey) Straley, Christian Straley, Autumn Straley, Hope Straley, Cole (Hailee) Mumme, Cailey Richards, Brody Richards, Maya Straley, Matthew Straley, Nathan Straley, Rebecca Straley and Jameson Hekker; brother, John Springstead and sister, Marilynn Lemieux. She was preceded in death by her sister-in-law, Paula Springstead and brother-in-law, Rick Lemieux. VISITATION with the family will be on Monday, January 4th, from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at The Lee Chapel of Sytsema Funeral and Cremation Services, 6291 S. Harvey St., Norton Shores, MI 49444. A FUNERAL SERVICE for close friends and family will be held 1:00pm Tuesday, January 5, 2021 at Port City Church McGraft Campus (1617 Palmer Ave.) with Pastor Mark Olson officiating. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the funeral home is allowed 25 guests in the building at a time. As people pay their respects to the family and exit the building, more guests will be allowed in. Masks will be required. MEMORIALS can be directed to the Muskegon Pregnancy Services in Christine's



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name. Burial will take place at Laketon Township Cemetery. Share memories with the family at www.sytsemafh.com.



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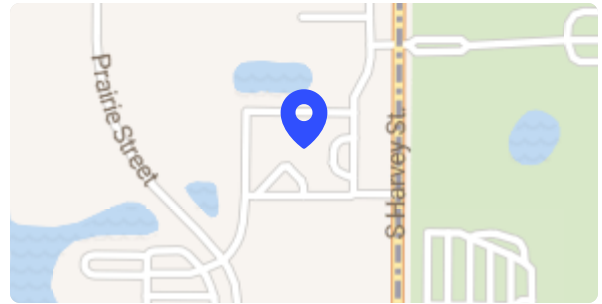
Visitation

Monday, January 4, 2021

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET

Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services - The Lee Chapel

6291 Harvey St., Norton Shores MI 49444



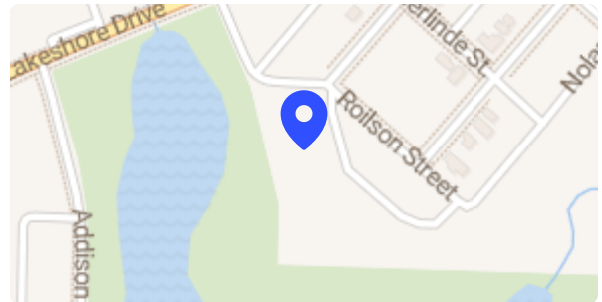
Funeral Service

Tuesday, January 5, 2021

1:00 PM ET

Port City Church - McGraft Campus

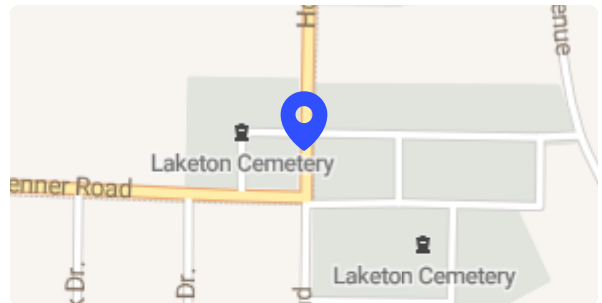
1617 Palmer Ave., Muskegon MI 49441



Cemetery Details

Laketon Township Cemetery

620 Horton Road, Muskegon MI 49445





Tribute Wall

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Lynda Wagner sent a virtual gift in honor of Christine.

January 4 at 10:57 AM



Kelly Smith lit a candle in honor of Christine.

January 4 at 7:12 AM



Paul Cole posted:

So sorry for your loss John, Jason and Charity and families. I will keep Christine and you all in my prayers.

January 4 at 6:36 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Erickson family.

January 4 at 2:52 AM



Dawn Tenbrink lit a candle in honor of Christine.

January 3 at 10:48 PM



Cousins, Mary, Jane, Martha And Ruth sent a Pretty Please to the Erickson family.

January 3 at 9:53 AM





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Anonymous sent a Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant to the Erickson family.

January 1 at 8:10 PM



Robin lit a candle in honor of Christine.

January 1 at 3:42 PM



Anonymous sent a Lavender Reflections Spray to the Erickson family.

January 1 at 2:40 PM



Jamaesha posted:

I met Chris as she liked to be called, at the Muskegon County Jail. She was a great person to minister with. She had a heart for the lost. I'll always remember her smile.

January 1 at 2:16 PM



Lori L Loring posted:

Chris was a faithful friend. She inspired me to live a life of gratitude even when it was hard. She knew any suffering she endured could be used to inspire others suffering. She praised God for every hurdle she overcame and encouraged others to do the same. Well done, Chris. Jesus answered him, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise." Luke 23:43 Lori & Dave

January 1 at 9:30 AM



Joan posted:

One of the strongest people i've known, last couple of years seemed to have been pretty rough, rest in peace chris

January 1 at 6:06 AM



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Julie Le lit a candle in honor of Christine.

To a wonderful Grandma who was loved

December 31 at 8:11 PM



Melissa Mceachen lit a candle in honor of Christine.

December 31 at 5:09 PM



Melissa Mceachen December 31 at 5:13 PM

I miss you so much already I can't imagine having to go more than a couple days without speaking to you. I'm really going to miss hearing about your kids and your grandkids and sharing the stories about my daughter and my grand children you got me through some of the hardest times of my life thank you



Darrell Long lit a candle in honor of Christine.

So many memories ! thank you for all of them ! Love Jenni and Darrell

December 31 at 3:23 PM



Judy Carlisle lit a candle in honor of Christine.

Chris it seems like I have known you forever... however I didn't know you was sick.... To Know YOU... was to LOVE YOU..... you was one girl that was sincere.... if you said it you meant it ... there was no beating around the bush... last I saw you was just a couple years ago... I think at Sam's Club, and we talked for about 1/2 hour.... and we said we need to meet somewhere and visit some time... as we were all getting sore from standing.. Chris was a great person... and she will be missed... Judy and Ron Carlisle

December 31 at 1:06 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Christine by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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